

## General Assembly

**Amendment** 

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Offered by:

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File No. 112

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(As Amended By Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

## "An Act Concerning Needlestick Prevention."

Strike out everything after the enacting clause and substitute the

2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 19a-490d of the general statutes is repealed and the

4 following is substituted in lieu thereof:

5 Each health care facility or institution licensed by the Department of

6 Public Health [,] pursuant to this chapter shall, if advised by the

7 federal Occupational [Health and] Safety and Health Administration,

8 use only injectable equipment having self-contained secondary

9 precautionary type sheathing devices or alternate devices designed to

prevent accidental needlestick injuries. <u>The provisions of this section</u>

11 shall not apply to any drug or biologic product that is prepackaged

12 with an administration system or used in a prefilled syringe and is

13 approved for commercial distribution or investigational use by the

14 federal Food and Drug Administration, if a sharp object injury

15 protection disposal system is in place at the health care facility or

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16 <u>institution.</u>"